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TO SEEK THE AID OF CONGRESSMEN

Woolgrowers of County Meet Saturday In Court House at Washington and Transact Business.

WANT LOCAL MANS HELP

The wool schedule of the Dingley bill is not to be changed downward if the growers of Western Pennsylvania can prevent it. A meeting of members of the Pennsylvania Wool Growers' association was held in the public meeting room of the court house Saturdy, at which steps were taken to have wool producers from this section of the state appear before the ways and means committee at Washington city December 2, when the wool schedule is to be taken up by the tariff revision committee appointed at the last session of congress.

It was decided that the officers of the local association should confer with the officers of the Tri-state association, embracing members from Pennsylvania, Ohio and West Virginia, and endeavor to agree on uniform action before both the committee on revision and congress, if the latter step should become necessary.

D. M. Campsey, of Claysville, and R. L. Munce have been named to go to the national capital and appear before the committee and voice the sentiment of the Washington county wool producers, to the effect that no rates lower than the Dingley schedule will be at all satisfactory to them.

A committee composed of J. G. Clark, W. W. Hunter and G. M. Paxton, was named to wait on Hon. John K. Tener, congressman-elect, and Hon E. F. Acheson, the retiring member, and enlist their aid and sympathy, in behalf of the present wool rates.

A committee was also named, consisting of about 25 persons, to solicit funds to defray the expenses incident to the work mapped out by the Pennsylvania association.

It was also decided at Saturday's meeting to draft an act which the Washington county assemblymen in the next session of the state legislature, Hon. C. E. Carothers, J. B. Holland and C. A. Bentley, will be asked to work and vote for. This bill will call for a material increase in the dog tax, and also provide more effective means for collecting the tax.

A well known wool grower stated that the wool producing industry in Washington county had gone down at least 75 per cent. in the last decade on account of adverse legislation and the ravages of worthless dogs. The growers hope that an increase in the dog tax will lead to at least a partial restoration of the business if congress does not cut down the Dingley rate of protection.

Didn't He Tell The Truth, Though.

A new doctrine of domestic economy, promulgated by Dr. W. N. Ferris, of Big Rapids, Mich., has caused Chester county schoolma'ams to wonder what is this world coming to anyway. The doctor is one of the instructors at the county teachers institute, at West Chester, and he impresses on his hearers his opinion that no woman has a right to marry until she is able to support a husband.

Free Kitchen Cabinet.

Tomorrow (Tuesday) will be the last day to get your coupons in for the free Kitchen Cabinet at Pfleghardt's. 82tf

DIES SATURDAY FROM BROKEN BACK

Popular Young Roscoe Man Succumbs To Injuries Received on Last Tuesday.

FUNERAL HELD TODAY

Harry Giles, the son of Mr. and Mrs. George Giles, of Roscoe, who had his back broken in a fall of slate at the Vesta mines, on last Tuesday afternoon at 5 o'clock succumbed to his injuries on Saturday afternoon at three o'clock and the funeral was held today, at one o'clock from the M. E. church at Roscoe, Rev. James Fornear, the pastor, officiating. The interment was in the Fayette City cemetery The deceased is survived by his parents, four brotners and one sister.

Giles was 30 years of age and unmarried. He was hurt while picking up his tools to return home after the day's work, the slate crushing him down. He was very popular among a large circle of acquaintances, who hear of his demise with much sorrow.

Moxie Gets Fine And Jail Sentence

William Moxie, the young miner, from Ellsworth, charged with violating the mining laws, was found guilty Saturday. Although guilty it was apparent he did not committ wrong complained of with the thought of doing wrong, but thoughtlessly of it being a violation of the law. Moxie is a young man about 21 years of age and of good appearance. The court let him off lightly, imposing a fine of $10 and costs or 60 days in jail.

One day in October in violating one of the rules of the mine, Moxie took a motor standing on a siding in the mine, running it to the foot of the shaft, rather than walk some distance from his work.

Alex. M. Templeton represented the prosecution and Rufus S. Marriner represented the defendant, it being his first case, having recently been admitted to the bar.

CANDIDATES FILE EXPENSE ACCOUNTS

James T. Heffran, coroner-elect, has filed a statement of his election expenses. He spent $175 The items are as follows: Contribution to Republican executive committee, $150; advertising $8.50; street car fare, $9; hotel and meals, $7.50.

Cyrus Morrow, Republican candidate for election as register of wills, spent $515. Of this amount $500 was contributed to the Republican executive committee. The balance was for advertising.

Joseph C. Barre, Democratic candidate for treasurer, certifies that his election expenses did not exceed $50.

W. R. Dennison, Democratic candidate for auditor, and J. C. Turner, Democratic candidite for clerk of courts, have filed their expense accounts, certifying that the same did not exceed $50.

The Ladies League of the M. E. church will hold a Rummage Sale in the Wingett building, corner of Washington avenue and Sixth street on November 20 and 21. 82t4

HIT BY TRAIN IN CROSSING TRACKS

Monongahela Man Hurled a Distance of About Twenty Yards And Succumbs To Injuries.

HAPPENED AT BRIDGE

About 6:25 o'clock Saturday evening, Abraham Hilliard, a well known colored man of Monongahela was killed by being struck by passenger train, No. 167 leaving Charleroi at 5:55 and due at Monongahela at 6.21. The man was thrown about 25 feet and when picked up was dying. He was hustled to the Memorial Hospital, but died while on the way there. Hilliard was 35 years of age, but unmarried. His body was taken to the Scurfield undertaking rooms.

Hilliard lives in Carroltown, across the river from Monongahela. He had been in Monongahela and was returning home by way of the bridge when struck. A freight was standing at the crossing when he approached the tracks and he waited until it pulled out then without looking started across. The passenger bore down upon him and striking him threw him a good distance. He was picked up but there was no hopes of saving his life.

INTERESTING CASES HEARD IN COURT

Joe Beress, of Donora, pleaded guilty Saturday to a charge of carrying concealed weapons, at Washington. Judge J. F. Taylor sentenced him to pay costs, a fine of $5 and serve 60 days in jail. It appears that Joe got on a spree and was fined by the authorities for disorderly conduct. The charge of carrying concealed weapons was preferred later by Constable Noah Beanna.

A surety of the peach case was heard before Judge J. A. McIlvaine Saturday. The principals were James W. and Walter Rush, brothers of Millsboro. The two had a falling out and Walter brought suit against James, alleging that he had threatened to kill him. The court, after hearing both sides, dismissed the case, directing that each pay one-half of the costs. The court remarked that it was not decent for brothers to fight, but they ought to live together amicably. The court also stated that it had heard 700 or 800 cases of surety of the peace and as a general thing both sides were to blame.

Leaves to Join Stock Company

William Albright (The Great Vandergould) left last evening for Connellsville to play a week's engagement with the Cutter Stock company. It is likely that Albright will remain with these people and if so it is very likely that Charleroi people will get a chance to see him this winter, it being understood that the company will appear Christmas week. He would prove a big drawing card in his homde town.

McKeesport Fails to Come For Game

The McKeesport team in the Valley Association football league forfeited to Charleroi Saturday by not appearing. The other scores follow: Donlevy—3; Gallatin—1. Braddock—1; New Eagle—7. Roscoe 3; Donora—1.

Were Going to Get Tied With Money

Mike George and Lizzie Bedrow were arrested in Monessen Saturday afternoon on a charge of larceny of $480. They were held until evening when a Pittsburg officer appeared and claimed the people. It is alleged they stole the money in Pittsburg and were going to use it with which to get married.

INSTITUTION OF MONESSEN LODGE

Order B'nai Brith Formed At Meeting Yesterday---Thirty Charter Members At Start Off.

OFFICERS ARE CHOSEN

The Monessen lodge Independent Order B'nai Brith was formed yesterday at that place. There were thirty members at the start off and the prospects are for a very successful branch in Monessen. The preliminary business to the establishment of such an order was gone through. Officers were elected. The president is Aaron Goldberg and the secretaries, corresponding and financial are H. Cohen and Jacob Janavitz.

The installation ceremonies will be held in the near future and the members of the B'nai Brith orders from Charleroi, Uniontown, Pittsburg and other places will be present.

A lodge of the kind was formed in Charleroi sometime ago and has been very successful.

SOCIAL EVENTS OF CHARLEROI

Athena Club Meets.

Continuing the study of the United States, the Athena club Saturday afternoon took up "The West" in its different phases at the meeting in the Merchants association rooms in the Kirk and Clark building. The meeting was full of interest and all the members enjoyed it to the fullest extent. The roll call was answered with quotations from J. Fenimore Cooper. An interesting talk was made by Mrs. R. C. Montgier on "The Conquest of the West." Mrs. William Potter told of "The Indians Last Roll Call—Oklahoma" and Miss Margueretta Christy spoke of "Custer's Raid Not Told in Books." Miss Christy is a personal friend of the Custer family and was well qualified to give some interesting incidents in connection with the subject.

Among the principal society events of the season at California was the celebration of their 25th wedding anniversary by Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Hileman, on Saturday afternoon and evening. There were about sixty-five friends and invited guests present and the time was spent most enjoyably. The house was highly decorated, the prevailing colors being yellow and white Chrysanthemums formed a greater part of the decorations in the beautiful interior. The color scheme also prevailed in the cakes and ices. Mr. and Mrs. Hileman received a large number of beautiful presents, consisting of silverware The congratulations of their friends bestowed upon them and the occasion was a joyful one. There were guests present from Charleroi, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Reeves and Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Holyfield.

Among the social events of the week will be the second of a series of progressive euchre Wednesday evening, given by the L. C. B. A., in their meeting rooms in the P. H. C. hall at 8:30 o'clock.

The Dorcas society of the First Baptist church have unanimously extended a vote of thanks to the many friends who so willingly assisted them at the supper held last Thursday evening.

HANDLING ALL THE LATEST AND BEST NEWS

The Mail has established a correspondent at Speers and are making arrangements to handle all the news of that place in an up-to-date manner. The persons who has been placed in charge there is C. K. Chalfant a well known resident of that place. Any one knowing of any items that might prove of interest should hand them to him. They would confer a favor upon us by so doing.

The Mail in a short time will have news bureaus established all along the valley and thus be able to give the important happenings in detail quickly.

TURKEYS WILL BE CHEAP THIS FALL

Advance Rumors Are To Effect That Fowls Will Be Lower Than Usual In Price.

NOT ANY IN MARKET YET

Thanksgiving Day being but two weeks, off, the mind of Charleroi people with other good Americans are turned to what shall grace the table that day. Naturally one of the first things that occurs to the average person, who can raise the price, is turkey.

To many this year turkey will be a delicacy not to be thought of. To those who can scrape together the necessary dollars and cents it will be good news, to learn that the indications are that the peer of table birds will be more plentiful this year than last or several years and that consequently the price will be lower.

A dealer who handles annually several hundred birds stated that the outlook for reduction in the prices that have prevailed the last several years is very favorable. His prediction is that the price will not be over 18 cents live weight or 23 cents dressed. Not for a week yet will the fowls become plentiful in the local markets. Farmers are said to be holding their flocks, anticipating higher prices because of increased demand at the last minute.

Quite a few people already have engaged their thanksgiving and Christmas birds from farmers.

MONESSEN DOCTORS ARE REAL ANGRY

Monessen doctors positively won't have women butting into their business, and that is all there is to it. Recently there were two cases of scarlet fever developed on the hill and the Health Board in accordance to the law quarantined the houses. It seems that sometime ago there had been cases of sickness in the neighborhood that had a few symptoms of the disease, but were not, and so the places were not quarantined. The development of the new cases and the subsequent tacking up of cards, made several of the female residents angry and they loudly voiced their protests. The physicians got sore at the interference of the women and have made a statement to the effect that if the women want to practice medicine and know more about the job than the doctors, they had better tack up their shingles, and the physicians themselves will move out. The medical men state that they will positively not have the interference of any of the female inhabitants of the borough in their business.

Drawing For Cabinet.

The drawing for the free Kitchen Cabinet takes place Tuesday night at 8 p. m., so be sure to deposit your coupons before that time. The name of the lucky person will be published in this paper on Wednesday. Pfleghardt's, 530-2 Fallowfield avenue. 82tf

The following Charleroi property was sold by the Sheriff Saturday:

Two lots in Charleroi, on Fallowfield avenue, each 44x100 feet, property of W. A. Hoge, sold at the suit of the borough of Charleroi for taxes; sold to E. W. Hastings for $57.70

Mrs. John McHugh and Miss Ella Trusk returned home yesterday after a five weeks visit with friends in Philadelphia, Shenandoah, and other Eastern cities.

PROMINENT PLACES FOR LOCAL PEOPLE

Convention Latter Part Of Month of Sunday School Workers of Ninth District.

GOOD PROGRAM ARRANGED

Two Charleroi people have prominent places on the program of the fourth annual convention of the ninth district of the Washington County Sabbath school association to be held in the First Christian church at Washington on Friday, November 30. These two persons are Mr. Joseph Kenyon, superintendent of the M. E. Sunday school at this place and Mrs. G. H. Thomas, of the primary department of the same Sunday school and a county officer. The program in full follows:

Opening 2:00 p. m.—Rev. J. C. Hamilton, presiding.

Music.

Devotional Service—Rev. Matthew Rutherford.

Appointment of Committees.

Department of Work, Ninth district:

a. Elementary—Miss Alice Paul.

b. Home Department—Mrs. J. B. Spriggs.

c. Teacher Training—Rev B. W. Hutchinson, D. D.

d. Temperance—B. C. McGrew.

Solo—Miss Gertrude McDonough.

Supplemental Work in the Elementary Grades—Mrs. G. H. Thomas, Charleroi.

The True Aim of Bible School Work—Joseph Kenyon, Charleroi.

Offering.

The Relation of the Bible School to the organized Work—Mrs. Mary L. Stewart.

Conference.

Adjournment.

7:00 p. m., Rev. J. C. Hamilton, presiding.

Prayer and Praise Service—Rev. E. C. Paxton.

Reports of Committees.

The Evangelistic Work of the Adult Bible Class—D. W. Wylie, Wilkinsburg.

Solo—John P. Hillis, Evangelistic singer.

Offering.

Soul Winning—John P. Hillis.

KILLED SATURDAY IN COAL MINE

Mine claimed another victim in this region Saturday when a violent death was recorded in the Elsworth mine. S. G. Harper was caught under a fall of slate Saturday night and instantly killed. A pathetic feature of the case is that the fact that Harper had been out of work for several months and only last Thursday had secured employment in the Elsworth mine. His home is in Monongahela. He was aged 26 years and was married, leaving a wife and three children. The funeral will be held tomorrow.

They Stayed at Home.

An exchange credits this to an Iowa editor who is something of a wag. Being annoyed by the neighbor's chickens he printed cards on which he requested the chickens be kept at home. To each card he tied a string and to each string a grain of corn, and then distributed them in his garden. The offending chickens of course swallowed the corn and then ran home gagging with the card dangling from their beaks. The owners read the cards and the chickens bothered no more.

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Gustave Clements.....Lock No. 4

Nov. 16 In History.

1272—Death of Henry III. of England after a reign of 56 years.

1632—Gustavus Adolphus, king of Sweden, killed at the battle of Lutzen (Saxony) Thirty Years' war.

1776—The British captured Fort Washington, completing their conquest of New York.

1811—John Bright, English statesman, born; died 1889.

1907—Rev. Dr. Moncure D. Conway, noted American author, died in Paris; born 1832.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 4:38, rises 6:46; moon rises 12:10 a. m.; moon's age 23 days; moon at apogee, farthest from earth; 3:30 a. m., eastern time, Jupiter's satellites Nos. 1 and 2 missing; 4:34 a. m., moon in conjunction with Jupiter, passing 4 1-3 degrees north of the planet from west to east; planet Mercury visible.

Post-Office Common Sense.

The Post-Office deficit for the fiscal year was $16,910,000. Part of the falling off is due to final depression, part to the fact that rural free delivery does not yet pay.

Postmaster-Genera Meyer urges a special local parcels-post service on the rural routes to make them self-sustaining, as well as to be a boon to the farmer and the country merchant. He suggests as a rate five cents for one pound and two cents for each additional pound up to eleven. All the rural carriers use horses or automobiles to save their legs. An average burden of only fifty-five pounds a trip would mean an annual business of $15,000,000, nearly all profit. Would a man in private business hesitate to act on such a showing?

Mr. Meyer is known to be favorably disposed toward a general parcels post. Presumably it is because he despairs of getting it that he modestly suggests a half-loaf measure. The four reasons why, unlike every other civilized nation in the world, have parcels post still hold as they did when John Wanamaker first started them.

Those four reasons were and are the American Express company, the Adams Express company, the Wells-Fargo Express company and the United States Express company. They are not good reasons, but they are strong ones.

Little Excuse For Some.

There is sometimes excuse for some ignorant foreigners who sell liquor illegally, and for others there is not any excuse whatever. It is natural that an alien in this country, uneducated, might easily and knowing not the law, should seize upon a method to make money, in a way that seems so easy. If one of the foreigners can get the liquor, he can get the trade among his own countrymen, for there are a goodly number of them that are habitual drinkers and naturally they much rather patronize one of their nationality than a stranger. These sellers do not bother themselves about the law, having the idea that everything is free in America and consequently more of them are brought to justice than the natives of this country. But there are those among the aliens who have a knowledge of the laws but nevertheless are offenders. These are the parties who should be caught up and upon whom punishment imposed. There is no more excuse for them to sin against the laws of the country than the American born man or woman.

Don't Believe it.

The sheet that is published daily in the town of Canonsburg, known among it's contemporaries as the Notes, got real riled because the Mail the other day in an editorial, told them that E. F. Acheson, was not in politics any more. They took the matter to heart and evidently the editorial writer passed a sleepless night, because of the truthfulness of statements which the Mail published, and the ebulition which resulted was almost terrifying in it's intensity. It is time however that the newspapers of this county get the right impression of things. There is no use in fighting for a man that is no longer a power in politics in this county and the Notes and any other paper that is supporting the person in question should take notice.

Forget it Real Sudden.

Now while they are raising all this fuss over whether or not Ex-Presidents should or should not be pensioned, we may as well state that we don't believe in it. If a President of the United States has been any kind of an official at all, he will have enough of a reputation after he has served his term to get him a good job, that is if he hasn't any money and needs a salary. If a man has been elected to the office and has not done it or himself justice, it would sort of go against the grain to pension him and we would not know what it was for. So just for the sake of keeping peace in the family we suggest that who ever has been discussing the problem seriously, proceed to forget it real sudden.

Electric Sparks.

Many a man in this community today bitterly regrets the folly which led him to waste his opportunities when a schoolboy. But that does not concern or impress the neglectful lad of the present.

There always comes a time in the history of the American people when they tire of the solicitations of the candidate who bobs up at almost every election soliciting something at their hands.

An Albany woman says that the modern novel is immoral, when the general impression has been that it is merely verbose pillle.

Fifty all-steel pay-as-you-enter traction cars for Chicago is the latest order booked in Pittsburg. An interesting experiment as well as a prosperity item.

With tariff tinkering out of the way, the wheels would begin to go around in earnest.

The building of the platform for 1912 has no doubt already commenced at Lincoln, Neb.

For 1912—William J. Bryan and Herman Ridder.

Four hundred girls kissed the bridegroom at a recent wedding at Los Angeles, Cal. The bride, probably, is now wondering in her newly married way if such popularity is a firm foundation for a divorce-proof home.

Zeppelin's airship will try what Andree's balloon failed, that is to say for the North pole, and Civilization unites in the hope that the airship will be successful. When it has been discovered that the North Pole is nothing but an icebound snow-covered waste perhaps there will be less lives lost in attempting to discover it.

A woman seldom meets her ideal man until she has passed the don't-worry age.

The average woman can change her mind in half the time it takes a man to change his collar.

Later on some of our street contractors may get a chance to repair some of those pavements made of good intentions.

Judge Alton B. Parker has stopped laughing long enough over the way Bryan got soaked in the late election to remark, that the "Democratic party needs new policies," but he doesn't specify whether he means life, accident or fire.

ARE MICROBES IN YOUR SCALP

Many Explanations of Baldness Have Been Advanced. The Most Correct Is That Of Microbes.

The term "microbe" refers to a parasitic plant or fungi also called bacteria. A microbe is so small that it can only be detected by the aid of a microscope. Some microbes are harmless, while others produce various diseases, and derive their titles through the form of their growth or because of the diseases they create, which diseases are infectious or contagious.

Prof. Unna of Hamburg, Germany, and Dr. Sabourand, the leading dematologist of France, discovered that a microbe caused baldness, and their theory has time and again been amply verified through research experiments carried on through the observation of eminent scientists. This microbe lodges in the Sebum, which is the nature hair oil, and if permitted to flourish, it destroys the hair follicles, and in time the pores entirely close and the scalp gradually takes on a shiny appearance. When this happens there is no hope of the hair growth being revived.

Dandruff is a contagious disease which a microbe causes, and later produces itching scalp, falling hair and baldness. Dandruff is caused by the microbe diseasing the seabaceous matter, which dries up and scales off. Sometimes the cuticle surrounding the hair allows the natural oil of the hair to force its way between on the flakes of scarf skin direct to the hair, and the microbe being between the flakes force them apart and they scale off as dandruff.

We have a remedy which positively will remove dandruff, exterminate the microbe, promote good circulation in the scalp, tighten and revitalize the hair roots, grow hair and cure baldness. We back up this statement on our own personal guarantee that this remedy, which is called Rexall "93" Hair Tonic, will be supplied free of all cost to the user if it fails to do as we promise. It will also restore gray and faded hair to its original rich, glossy color, if loss of color has been caused by disease, yet it is in no sense a dye. Rexall "93" Hair Tonic accomplishes these results by making every hair root, follicle and pigment gland strong and active, and by stimulating a natural flow of coloring pigment into the hair cells.

Rexall "93" Hair Tonic is entirely free from grease or sediment, is exceedingly pleasant to use, and will not gum the hair or soil the clothing or pillows.

We want everyone troubled with hair or scalp ailments, even though they are bald in spots, to try Rexall "93" Hair Tonic on our guarantee. We exact no obligations or promise, and simply ask you to give it a thorough trial, and if not satisfied, tell us, and we will refund the money paid us. Two sizes, 50c and $1.00. John W. Carroll, Charleroi, Pa.

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We want to tell you all about this big sale we are now running, so that you will know as much about it as we ourselves.

Back about three months ago the largest combination yet formed in the piano industry was concluded.

It was a combination involving twelve million dollars. Heading the consolidation was the renowned old firm of Wm. Knabe & Co., of Baltimore, and the equally distinguished house of Chickering & Sons of Boston. Following immediately after these famous old houses were the gigantic Foster-Armstrong interests, of Rochester. This concern owned and operated seven big piano factories.

Up to the time of the big consolidation Foster-Armstrong were the largest manufacturers of pianos in the world. They were known and will still be known (as a nickname generally always clings to one) as the Big Four.

They manufactured twenty-five thousand pianos a year. Think of it--twenty-five thousand pianos a year.

These are mostly medium grades pianof, say, to sell at from $250 and $275 up to $450 and $500.

Then they combined—as told above, Consolidated with the Chickering, which has been made since 1823; and the Knabe, which has been made since 1837—both of which for nearly three generations have been world favorites with exacting musicians; so it is easy to see what the new combination is and what it means. The reader can as easily see this as we can.

It does not even take a piano man to see that it means economy—efficiency.

Now here is where we come in. Here is the part that is to the greatest interest and advantage of the piano buyer—and the part that shows how piano buyers can participate in this deal.

Now, after this new combination got settled down to business the first decision as a matter of general policy was to discontinue a great number of styles: In other words, several styles of each and every make.

This meant that several hundreds of pianos must be sold at once—probably Thousands would more nearly fit than Hundreds.

Big dealers were asked to come to New York and were advised of the plans—and as we are classed as Big Dealers---we were invited.

Right here, as a sort of little sidelight, it might be well to tell and might be read with interest, too, that long before such a consolidation as the American Piano Co., was ever dreamed of, we were generally regarded as the largest retailers in the country of the Very Lines That now Go to Make Up the Big Combination. Buying Chickerings Grands fifty at a time was not a new thing to us.

Selling a few Hundred each of Chickerings, Knabes, Haines Bros., etc., a year was an old story to us. But when we were shown what was now intended, that new-up-to date styles could be bought so that we could sell them at, just say $100 less than we had previously had to ask for the same instruments and still make a little money for ourselves. We Saw Our Opportunity.

WE BOUGHT---AND BOUGHT.

We distributed and are still distributing our purchases among several stores.

Brand new KNABE PIANOS in up to date but discontinued case styles are now offered at $450 and $460 instead of their former prices, $550 and $600.

Brand new CHICKERINGS, the same identically as has always sold at $500 and $550 are now offered while they last at $410 and $440.

Brand new HAINES BROS., the aristocrat of medium grade pianos, in styles that never brought less than $425 and $450, will during this sale sell at only $315; while the same piano in plain case styles will bring only $290. Just think of it--prices away lower than those asked for pianos the names of which you never even heard of before, while here is a piano which has been conspicuous before musical persons the world over for nearly sixty years.

Then comes the medium grades.

Marshall & Wendell's $325 and $350 pianos are now selling at $240 and $260. New Foster & Co.'s in $325 and $350 styles selling at $225 and $250, and the celebrated Brewster, the most widely known piano in the world at its price and which has never been priced at less than $250 to $275, and is sold more generally at $300 straight through the country from coast to coast---is now selling, while this sale continues, at only $175 to $190.

Nor is this all.

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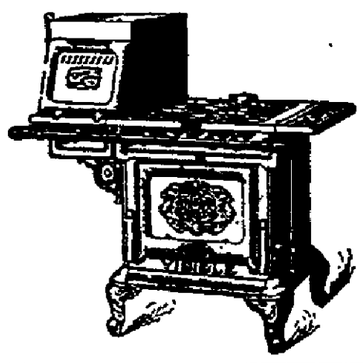

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The Whale.

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Goldfish.

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Morocco.

To the present day Morocco not only has no railways, but no roads of any kind except near Tangier.

Foundling Hospitals.

Foundling hospitals are very ancient. It is certain that one was established at Milan in the year 787, and in the middle ages most of the principal cities of the continent possessed one.

Earrings.

Among the Phoenicians in ancient days the wearing of earrings was a badge of servitude.

Plaster of Paris.

The setting of plaster of paris may be retarded by the addition of 2 to 4 per cent of powdered althea root. This addition not only retards the hardening of the plaster, but also enables it to be cut, filed, sawed and turned. An addition of 8 per cent retards the complete setting of the plaster for about an hour, so that the mass may be used for any purpose where it is to remain plastic during at least a portion of that time.

Russia's Famines.

Russia suffers from famine on an average every ten or twelve years.

Simple Fire Alarm.

A simple but effective fire alarm may be made by connecting two pieces of spring brass with a circuit and keeping the ends separated with a piece of beeswax, which melts and allows them to come together when the temperature begins to get too high.

The Capital.

The capital of the United States was changed nine times during the Revolutionary war

Cochineal Insects.

How long cochineal insects live has not been discovered. Some investigators state that the period of existence is measured by hours, while others claim that the minute creatures live for several days. All agree, however, that their life is very short.

Perspiration.

Men have been known to lose by perspiration 5,000 to 6,000 grains an hour.

Fish.

Fish contain three times as much phosphorus in their composition as quadrupeds, and phosphorus is an essential constituent of the human brain and requires renewal in proportion to the amount of work that organ is required to perform.

The Piano.

The tone of a piano is best when the instrument is not next to a wall.

Lincoln's Springfield Home.

The Springfield home of Abraham Lincoln was presented to the state of Illinois in 1882 by Robert Todd Lincoln. It was the only piece of real estate ever owned by the great emancipator. The property is now open to visitors.

The French Language.

A philologist estimates that of every hundred words in the French language thirteen are superfluous.

Conundrums.

What ship has two mates, but no captain? Courtship.

How did the man die who fell in a barrel of brandy? In good spirits.

What is the difference between stabbing a man and killing a hog? One is assault with intent to kill, the other killing with intent to salt.

Didn't Like That Part.

Jean was a little Canadian girl, and her mother was teaching her the words of "God Save the King." When they came to the words, "Long to reign over us," Jean refused to say them, remarking in pleading tones, "Oh, mamma, I don't want to get all wet!"

The Mina of India.

The bird which is most expert in imitating the speech of man is the mina of India, a bird somewhat resembling a starling. It is purplish black in hue, with a white patch on the wings and orange lappets on the head. When domesticated the mina is far superior to the parrot both in picking up the speech of those by whom it is surrounded and in the distinctness with which it speaks the words and sentences learned.

John Paul Jones.

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HINTS FOR FARMERS

Weeds That Sheep Eat.

The Minnesota station gives the analyses of weeds which sheep eat readily and their protein contents compared with alfalfa, clover and timothy hay. It will be a surprise to many to see how high in protein these weeds are, and it suggests the reason sheep flourish on them, worthless as they are otherwise. Here are the analyses: Lambs' quarters, 25.06 protein, 54.64 carbohydrates, 1.96 fat; purslane, 26.13 protein, 53.70 carbohydrates, 2.9 fat; pigweed, 26.54 protein, 62.86 carbohydrates, 1.36 fat; dandelion, 24.64 protein, 58.95 carbohydrates, 2.70 fat; catnip, 22.25 protein, 63.07 carbohydrates, 2.66 fat; goldenrod, 11.63 protein, 76.63 carbohydrates, 4.85 fat; mustard, 15.75 protein, 75.50 carbohydrates, 1.55 fat; quack grass, 11.27 protein, 79.12 carbohydrates, 1.96 fat; alfalfa, 20 protein, 40.64 carbohydrates, 2.46 fat; clover, 13.35 protein, 52.28 carbohydrates, 3.65 fat; timothy hay, 8.75 protein, 41.76 carbohydrates, 2.16 fat.

Soiling Crops.

A mixture of Kaffir corn and cowpeas at the Pennsylvania station produced the largest yield of green substance per acre, was relished by the cows and was entirely satisfactory from the standpoint of milk production. Alfalfa produced the largest yield of air dry substance per acre, and the cows seemed to hold up better in milk production when on alfalfa than on any other crops tested. Oats and peas proved satisfactory as a soiling crop. Rye produced the earliest soiling crop and gave a large yield of dry substance per acre, but under average conditions it ripens too quickly to be most satisfactory. The different forage crops tested seemed to have little, if any, effect upon the composition of the milk.—American Cultivator.

Plans For New Dairy Barns.

For the past two or three years the dairy division of the department of agriculture has been making an investigation of all the principal dairy barns in the United States and a study of the best methods of construction, with reference to convenience, cheapness in feeding and hauling of stock, sanitation, etc. The result is that the division has a large number of plans suitable for building barns and stables of varying costs, so that any one contemplating building a barn can obtain, by simply corresponding with the chief of the division, a set of building plans which will probably just about meet his needs.

Horse Sense.

Turning the work teams out to pasture at night is better than keeping them shut up in a close, poorly ventilated stable.

Every farmer must have horses. Why not have the best, then, and make a nice little profit on the side from the colts?

The time to sell the colt is when a good price is offered. It's good policy to have him ready to attract the good price, though.

Begin to handle the little fellow when he is very young if you would keep him from getting wild. Be judicious about it, though, at all times.

The Word "Furring."

The origin of the word "furring" of the present day construction comes from olden times, when animal skins or furs were used on walls to keep out the cold and wet.

Personal Mention

Mrs. P. J. Ailes was in Pittsburg Saturday to see Dr. Snope who is to perform an operation on her.

George S. Might has returned from Washington where he spent a week serving on the petit jury.

George Woodhall is transacting buiness in Pittsburg today.

George Barnett spent Sunday in Pittsburg with friends.

George Johnson is in Pittsburg today transacting business.

Charles Steele and Miss Nelle Steele attended the Indian-University of Pittsburg football game at Pittsburg Saturday.

Joseph Mason was in Pittsburg Saturday and witnessed the football game of the Indians and Pittsburg.

Albert Gouzzie left yesterday for Detroit, Mich., where he will spend sometime visiting his sister.

Thomas Arrigo and Borough Engineer Bernard Smallwood are business visitors in Pittsburg today.

Mrs. L. W. Shey left this morning for Pittsburg for a visit with friends.

Dr. C. E. McDermid has arrived in Charleroi from Pittsburg. He is looking over the field with a view of starting practice in this place.

Mrs. F. R. Dickey has returned from a visit with friends in Emlenton.

William Carter is in Pittsburg spending a few days with friends.

Misses Helen and Virginia Shepler of Pittsburg spent Sunday with little Dorothy Whitlatch on Fallowfield avenue.

Mr. Fred Hill was a Pittsburg visitor Saturday.

Mrs. L. Gregg of Pittsburg visited Mrs. C. M. Hill of Meadow avenue last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Andres have left for Lonaconing being called by the severe illness of the former's uncle.

C. E. Lantz and Evan Kelly left this morning for Greene county for a few day's hunt.

Negro is Found Dead in Room

William Reed, a well known negro of North Belle Vernon was found dead in bed Saturday night by his roommate. The cause of the man's death is not assigned, but it is hardly thought he committeed self destruction.

Has Let Contract.

To offer additional safety to its miners and to prevent, as much as possible, just such catastrophes as the recent one in Germany, the Pittsburg-Buffalo Coal company has let the contract to H. M. Miller, of West Newton, for the sinking of an airshaft at the famous Marianna mine.

The shaft will be additional to the two reguiar ones now in use. It will be used exclusively for ventilating purposes and will be 500 feet deep, lined with brick, thus making it an unusual affair. Work on the new shaft will be begun in about 10 days.

Foreigners Arrested.

A fight between foreigners, following a drinking bout on Fallowfield avenue between Sixth and Seventh street last night attracted some attention. An arrest made by the police who were called.

At 12:01 this morning the law lifted its protecting arm from deer and from now on to the first day of next month the coveted deer will have to shift for themselves. The season opens on the 15th of November, but that day happened to be Sunday this year and State Game Commissioner Kalbfus issued a warning that the deer season would not open until today.

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LOST—Large belt buckle with green setz, on Saturday evening. Liberal reward if returned to 373 Mail once. 82t1

ANNOUNCES FOR BURGESS

Capt. J. K. Hein of the third precinct, makes formal announcement that he will be a a candidate for the nomination for burgess on the Republican ticket at the primaries preceeding the spring municipal election. He makes this announcement at this time in order to let his many friends know what his intentions are, and in view of the many rumors which are as yet unconfirmed of others contesting for the nomination.

No citizen has a better record for unselfish public work than Capt. Hein. He has three times been elected a member of the borough council, and has served two terms as president of that body. At present he is serving his third term, and has devoted more time, perhaps, than

other citizens in Charleroi, to the business affairs of the borough. He has long been a member of the most important committees and is so conversant with the affairs of the borough that he would make a good and capable executive.

As a Republican Capt. Hein has always been an active worker and a leader in his precinct. He has the faculty of harmonizing actions and healing breaches, and has ever been loyal to his organization, but at the same time retaining the friendship and esteem of his political opponents. In addition he is a good citizen, and worthy of every honor the electors may bestow upon him.

Licensed in Pittsburg.

Ralph L. Todd, Charleroi, and Miss Helen Young, Roscoe, were issued a marriage license at Pittsburg Saturday.

THE GRAMPUS GOURMET.

This Marine Monster's Prey Is the Bowhead Whale.

"Of all the gourmets on land or water," said the captain, "commend me to the grampus."

The ladies at the captain's table looked with inquiring smiles at the handsome sailor.

"The grampus," he went on, "is a kind of overgrown shark or a kind of undersized fighting whale. You can take your choice. At any rate, he is a terrible creature to meet with if you happen to be aquatic.

"He and his mate travel together. Sometimes they have a friend along—big, fine, strong chap, as such friends usually are. And their game is the bowhead whale.

"When they find a whale they go at him. They stick to him invincibly. They punch and thump till he is as limp as a rope of seaweed with exhaustion. Then, by means of one horrible deed, they show their unexampled gluttony.

"They take hold of the whale's lower lip; they hang their weight on it until it drops open. Then in go their heads disappearing inside that great red mouth, that warm, moist cavern of scarlet, and they eat in there the whale's tongue, a tender tidbit, very rich and delicate.

"The tongue consumed, they go on their way again, leaving the whale to die slowly."—New Orleans Times Democrat.

Dangerous.

Giles—How's your son gettin' on up in Lumton? Gargo—Very well. He tells me he's got a job partly behind the counter and partly out o' doors. Giles—And what 'appens when the door slams?—London Telegraph.

Makes Cowards of Us All.

There is nothing from which even the bravest man shrinks so pitifully as the lancet of the surgeon, even when it is wielded by the most skillful of his craft.—London Sketch.

Reward and Inspiration.

"Write me verses!" Laura cried.
"You, they say, so brilliant are
As to dazzle, if you tried,
Every bright poetic star."

"My reward—what shall it be?"
I of her did thus demand.
"On my brow shall all men see
Laurels placed by Laura's hand?"

"Laurels nothing!" This the maid.
"Sorrel's all the wreath you'll get."
"Lacking love of yours," I said,
"'Tis no Poet Laura yet."
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TO SEEK THE AID OF CONGRESSMEN

Woolgrowers of County Meet Saturday In Court House at Washington and Transact Business.

WANT LOCAL MANS HELP

The wool schedule of the Dingley bill is not to be changed downward if the growers of Western Pennsylvania can prevent it. A meeting of members of the Pennsylvania Wool Growers' association was held in the public meeting room of the court house Saturday, at which steps were taken to have wool producers from this section of the state appear before the ways and means committee at Washington city December 2, when the wool schedule is to be taken up by the tariff revision committee appointed at the last session of congress.

It was decided that the officers of the local association should confer with the officers of the Tri-state association, embracing members from Pennsylvania, Ohio and West Virginia, and endeavor to agree on uniform action before both the committee on revision and congress, if the latter step should become necessary.

D. M. Campsey, of Claysville, and R. L. Monce have been named to go to the national capital and appear before the committee and voice the sentiment of the Washington county wool producers, to the effect that no rates lower than the Dingley schedule will be at all satisfactory to them.

A committee composed of J. G. Clark, W. W. Hunter and G. M. Paxton, was named to wait on Hon. John K. Tener, congressman-elect, and Hon E. F. Acheson, the retiring member, and enlist their aid and sympathy, in behalf of the present wool rates.

A committee was also named, consisting of about 25 persons, to solicit funds to defray the expenses incident to the work mapped out by the Pennsylvania association.

It was also decided at Saturday's meeting to draft an act which the Washington county assemblymen in the next session of the state legislature, Hon. C. E. Carothers, J. B. Holland and C. A. Bentley, will be asked to work and vote for. This bill will call for a material increase in the dog tax, and also provide more effective means for collecting the tax.

A well known wool grower stated that the wool producing industry in Washington county had gone down at least 75 per cent. in the last decade on account of adverse legislation and the ravages of worthless dogs. The growers hope that an increase in the dog tax will lead to at least a partial restoration of the business if congress does not cut down the Dingley rate of protection.

Didn't He Tell The Truth, Though.

A new doctrine of domestic economy, promulgated by Dr. W. N. Ferris, of Big Rapids, Mich., has caused Chester county schoolma'ams to wonder what is this world coming to anyway. The doctor is one of the instructors at the county teachers institute, at West Chester, and he impresses on his hearers his opinion that no woman has a right to marry until she is able to support a husband.

Free Kitchen Cabinet.

Tomorrow (Tuesday) will be the last day to get your coupons in for the free Kitchen Cabinet at Pfleghardt's. 82tf

DIES SATURDAY FROM BROKEN BACK

Popular Young Roscoe Man Succumbs To Injuries Received on Last Tuesday.

FUNERAL HELD TODAY

Harry Giles, the son of Mr. and Mrs. George Giles, of Roscoe, who had his back broken in a fall of slate at the Vesta mines, on last Tuesday afternoon at 5 o'clock succumbed to his injuries on Saturday afternoon at three o'clock and the funeral was held today, at one o'clock from the M. E. church at Roscoe, Rev. James Forneat, the pastor, officiating. The interment was in the Fayette City cemetery. The deceased is survived by his parents, four brothers and one sister.

Giles was 30 years of age and unmarried. He was hurt while picking up his tools to return home after the day's work, the slate crushing him down. He was very popular among a large circle of acquaintances, who hear of his demise with much sorrow.

Moxie Gets Fine And Jail Sentence

William Moxie, the young miner, from Ellsworth, charged with violating the mining laws, was found guilty Saturday. Although guilty it was apparent he did not committ wrong complained of with the thought of doing wrong, but thoughtlessly of it being a violation of the law. Moxie is a young man about 21 years of age and of good appearance. The court let him off lightly, imposing a fine of $10 and costs or 60 days in jail.

One day in October in violating one of the rules of the mine, Moxie took a motor standing on a siding in the mine, running it to the foot of the shaft, rather than walk some distance from his work.

Alex. M. Templeton represented the prosecution and Rufus S. Marriner represented the defendant, it being his first case, having recently been admitted to the bar.

CANDIDATES FILE EXPENSE ACCOUNTS

James T. Heffran, coroner-elect, has filed a statement of his election expenses. He spent $175 The items are as follows: Contribution to Republican executive committee, $150; advertising $8.50; street car fare, $9; hotel and meals, $7.50.

Cyrus Morrow, Republican candidate for-election as register of wills, spent $515. Of this amount $500 was contributed to the Republican executive committee. The balance was for advertising.

Joseph C. Barre, Democratic candidate for treasurer, certifies that his election expenses did not exceed $50.

W. R. Dennison, Democratic candidate for auditor, and J. C. Turner, Democratic candidite for clerk of courts, have filed their expense accounts, certifying that the same did not exceed $50.

The Ladies League of the M. E. church will hold a Rummage Sale in the Wingett building, corner of Washington avenue and Sixth street on November 20 and 21. $2t4

HIT BY TRAIN IN CROSSING TRACKS

Monongahela Man Hurled a Distance of About Twenty Yards And Succumbs To Injuries.

HAPPENED AT BRIDGE

About 6:25 o'clock Saturday evening, Autumn Hilliard, a well known colored man of Monongahela was killed by being struck by passenger train, No. 167 leaving Charleroi at 5:55 and due at Monongahela at 6:21. The man was thrown about 25 feet and when picked up was dying. He was hustled to the Memorial Hospital, but died while on the way there. Hilliard was 35 years of age, but unmarried. His body was taken to the Scurfield undertaking rooms.

Hilliard lives in Carrolltown, across the river from Monongahela. He had been in Monongahela and was returning home by way of the bridge when struck. A freight was standing at the crossing when he approached the tracks and he waited until it pulled out then without looking started across. The passenger bore down upon him and striking him threw him a good distance. He was picked up but there was no hopes of saving his life.

INTERESTING CASES HEARD IN COURT

Joe Beross, of Donora, pleaded guilty Saturday to a charge of carrying concealed weapons, at Washington. Judge J. F. Taylor sentenced him to pay costs, a fine of $5 and serve 60 days in jail. It appears that Joe got on a spree and was fined by the authorities for disorderly conduct. The charge of carrying concealed weapons was preferred later by Constable Noah Beanna.

A surety of the peach case was heard before Judge J. A. McIlvaine Saturday. The principals were James W. and Walter Rush, brothers of Millsboro. The two had a falling out and Walter brought suit against James, alleging that he had threatened to kill him. The court, after hearing both sides, dismissed the case, directing that each pay one-half of the costs. The court remarked that it was not decent for brothers to fight, but they ought to live together amicably. The court also stated that it had heard 700 or 800 cases of surety of the peace and as a general thing both sides were to blame.

Leaves to Join Stock Company

William Albright (The Great Vandergould) left last evening for Connellsville to play a week's engagement with the Cutter Stock company. It is likely that Albright will remain with these people and if so it is very likely that Charleroi people will get a chance to see him this winter, it being understood that the company will appear Christmas week. He would prove a big drawing card in his homde town.

McKeesport Fails to Come For Game

The McKeesport team in the Valley Association football league forfeited to Charleroi Saturday by not appearing. The other scores follow: Dunlevy—3; Gallatin—1. Braddock—1; New Eagle—7. Roscoe 3; Donora—1.

Were Going to Get Tied With Money

Mike George and Lizzie Bedrow were arrested in Monessen Saturday afternoon on a charge of larceny of $480. They were held until evening when a Pittsburg officer appeared and claimed the people. It is alleged they stole the money in Pittsburg and were going to use it with which to get married.

INSTITUTION OF MONESSEN LODGE

Order B'nai Brith Formed At Meeting Yesterday—Thirty Charter Members At Start Off.

OFFICERS ARE CHOSEN

The Monessen lodge Independent Order B'nai Brith was formed yesterday at that place. There were thirty members at the start off and the prospects are for a very successful branch in Monessen. The preliminary business to the establishment of such an order was gone through. Officers were elected. The president is Aaron Goldberg and the secretaries, corresponding and financial are H. Cohen and Jacob Janavitz.

The installation ceremonies will be held in the near future and the members of the B'nai Brith orders from Charleroi, Uniontown, Pittsburg and other places will be present.

A lodge of the kind was formed in Charleroi sometime ago and has been very successful.

SOCIAL EVENTS OF CHARLEROI

Athena Club Meets.

Continuing the study of the United States, the Athena club Saturday afternoon took up "The West" in its different phases at the meeting in the Merchants association rooms in the Kirk and Clark building. The meeting was full of interest and all the members enjoyed it to the fullest extent. The roll call was answered with quotations from J. Fenimore Cooper. An interesting talk was made by Mrs. R. C. Montgier on "The Conquest of the West." Mrs. William Potter told of "The Indians Last Roll Call—Oklahoma" and Miss Margueretta Christy spoke of "Custer's Raid Not Told in Books." Miss Christy is a personal friend of the Custer family and was well qualified to give some interesting incidents in connection with the subject.

Among the principal society events of the season at California was the celebration of their 25th wedding anniversary by Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Hileman, on Saturday afternoon and evening. There were about sixty-five friends and invited guests present and the time was spent most enjoyably. The house was highly decorated, the prevailing colors being yellow and white Chrysanthemums formed a greater part of the decorations in the beautiful interior. The color scheme also prevailed in the cakes and ices. Mr. and Mrs. Hileman received a large number of beautiful presents, consisting of silverware. The congratulations of their friends bestowed upon them and the occasion was a joyful one. There were guests present from Charleroi, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Reeves and Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Holyfield.

Among the social events of the week will be the second of a series of progressive euchre Wednesday evening, given by the L. C. B. A., in their meeting rooms in the P. H. C. hall at 8:30 o'clock.

The Dorcas society of the First Baptist church have unanimously extended a vote of thanks to the many friends who so willingly assisted them at the supper held last Thursday evening.

HANDLING ALL THE LATEST AND BEST NEWS

The Mail has established a correspondent at Speers and are making arrangements to handle all the news of that place in an up-to-date manner. The persons who has been placed in charge there is C. K. Chalfant a well known resident of that place. Any one knowing of any items that might [illegible] should hand them to him. They would confer a favor upon us by so doing.

The Mail in a short time will have news bureaus established all along the valley and thus be able to give the important happenings in detail quickly.

TURKEYS WILL BE CHEAP THIS FALL

Advance Rumors Are To Effect That Fowls Will Be Lower Than Usual In Price.

NOT ANY IN MARKET YET

Thanksgiving Day being but two weeks, off, the mind of Charleroi people with other good Americans are turned to what shall grace the table that day. Naturally one of the first things that occurs to the average person, who can raise the price, is turkey.

To many this year turkey will be a delicacy not to be thought of. To those who can scrape together the necessary dollars and cents it will be good news, to learn that the indications are that the peer of table birds will be more plentiful this year than last or several years and that consequently the price will be lower.

A dealer who handles annually several hundred birds stated that the outlook for reduction in the prices that have prevailed the last several years is very favorable. His prediction is that the price will not be over 18 cents live weight or 23 cents dressed. Not for a week yet will the fowls become plentiful in the local markets. Farmers are said to be holding their flocks, anticipating higher prices because of increased demand at the last minute.

Quite a few people already have engaged their Thanksgiving and Christmas birds from farmers.

MONESSEN DOCTORS ARE REAL ANGRY

Monessen doctors positively won't have women butting into their business, and that is all there is to it. Recently there were two cases of scarlet fever developed on the hill and the Health Board in accordance to the law quarantined the houses. It seems that sometime ago there had been cases of sickness in the neighborhood that had a few symptoms of the disease, but were not, and so the places were not quarantined. The development of the new cases and the subsequent tacking up of cards, made several of the female residents angry and they loudly voiced their protests. The physicians got sore at the interference of the women and have made a statement to the effect that if the women want to practice medicine and know more about the job than the doctors, they had better tack up their shingles, and the physicians themselves will move out. The medical men state that they will positively not have the interference of any of the female inhabitants of the borough in their business.

Drawing For Cabinet.

The drawing for the free Kitchen Cabinet takes place Tuesday night at 8 p. m., so be sure to deposit your coupons before that time. The name of the lucky person will be published in this paper on Wednesday. Pfleghardt's, 530-2 Fallowfield avenue. 82tf

The following Charleroi property was sold by the Sheriff Saturday:

Two lots in Charleroi, on Fallowfield avenue, each 44x100 feet, property of W. A. Hoge, sold at the suit of the borough of Charleroi for taxes; sold to E. W. Hastings for $57.70

Mrs. John McHugh and Miss Ella Trusk returned home yesterday after a five weeks visit with friends in Philadelphia, Shenandoah, and other Eastern cities.

PROMINENT PLACES FOR LOCAL PEOPLE

Convention Latter Part Of Month of Sunday School Workers of Ninth District.

GOOD PROGRAM ARRANGED

Two Charleroi people have prominent places on the program of the fourth annual convention of the ninth district of the Washington County Sabbath school association to be held in the First Christian church at Washington on Friday, November 30. These two persons are Mr. Joseph Kenyon, superintendent of the M. E. Sunday school at this place and Mrs. G. H. Thomas, of the primary department of the same Sunday school and a county officer. The program in full follows:

Opening 2:00 p. m.—Rev. J. C. Hamilton, presiding.

Music.

Devotional Service—Rev. Matthew Rutherford.

Appointment of Committees.

Department of Work, Ninth district:

a. Elementary—Miss Alice Paul.

b. Home Department—Mrs. J. B. Spriggs.

c. Teacher Training—Rev. B. W. Hutchinson, D. D.

d. Temperance—B. C. McGrew.

Solo—Miss Gertrude McDonough.

Supplemental Work in the Elementary Grades—Mrs. G. H. Thomas, Charleroi.

The True Aim of Bible School Work—Joseph Kenyon, Charleroi.

Offering.

The Relation of the Bible School to the organized Work—Mrs. Mary L. Stewart.

Conference.

Adjournment.

7:00 p. m., Rev. J. C. Hamilton, presiding.

Prayer and Praise Service—Rev. E. C. Paxton.

Reports of Committees.

The Evangelistic Work of the Adult Bible Class—D. W. Wylie, Wilkinsburg.

Solo—John P. Hillis, Evangelistic singer.

Offering.

Soul Winning—John P. Hillis.

KILLED SATURDAY IN COAL MINE

Mine claimed another victim in this region Saturday when a violent death was recorded in the Elsworth mine. S. G. Harper was caught under a fall of slate Saturday night and instantly killed. A pathetic feature of the case is that the fact that Harper had been out of work for several months and only last Thursday had secured employment in the Elsworth mine. His home is in Monongahela. He was aged 26 years and was married, leaving a wife and three children. The funeral will be held tomorrow.

They Stayed at Home.

An exchange credits this to an Iowa editor who is something of a wag. Being annoyed by the neighbor's chickens he printed cards on which he requested the chickens be kept at home. To each card he tied a string and to each string a grain of corn, and then distributed them in his garden. The offending chickens of course swallowed the corn and then ran home gagging with the card dangling from their beaks. The owners read the cards and the chickens bothered no more.

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Nov. 16 In History.

1272—Death of Henry III. of England after a reign of 56 years

1632—Gustavus Adolphus king of Sweden, killed at the battle of Lutzen (Saxony) Thirty Years' war

1776—The British captured Fort Washington, completing their conquest of New York

1811—John Bright English statesman, born; died 1889

1907—Rev. Dr Moncure D Conway, noted American author, died in Paris; born 1832

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 4 38, rises 6 46, moon rises 12.10 a m.; moon's age 23 days, moon at apogee, farthest from earth, 3 30 a. m, eastern time, Jupiter s satellites Nos. 1 and 2 missing. 4.34 a m moon in conjunction with Jupiter, passing 4 1-3 degrees north of the planet from west to east; planet Mercury visible

Post-Office Common Sense.

The Post-Office deficit for the fiscal year was $16,910,000 Part of the falling off is due to final depression, part to the fact that rural free delivery does not yet pay.

Postmaster-Generl Meyer urges a special local parcels-post service on the rural routes to make them self sustaining, as well as to be a boon to the farmer and the country merchant. He suggests as a rate five cents for one pound and two cents for each additional pound up to eleven All the rural carriers use horses or automobiles to save their legs. An average burden of only fifty-five pounds a trip would mean an annual business of $15,000,000, nearly all profit. Would a man in private business hesitate to act on such a showing?

Mr. Meyer is known to be favorably disposed toward a general parcels post Presumably it is because he despairs of getting it that he modestly suggests a half-loaf measure. The four reasons why, unlike every other civilized nation in the world, have parcels post still hold as they did when John Wanamaker first started them.

Those four reasons were and are the American Express company, the Adams Express company, the Wells-Fargo Express company and the United States Express company. They are not good reasons, but they are strong ones.

Little Excuse For Some.

There is sometimes excuse for some ignorant foreigners who sell liquor illegally, and for others there is not any excuse whatever. It is natural that an alien in this country, uneducated, might easily and knowing not the law, should seize upon a method to make money, in a way that seems so easy. If one of the foreigners can get the liquor, he can get the trade among his own countrymen, for there are a goodly number of them that are habitual drinkers and naturally they much rather patronize one of their nationality than a stranger. These sellers do not bother themselves about the law, having the idea that everything is free in America and consequently more of them are brought to justice than the natives of this country. But there are those among the aliens who have a knowledge of the laws, but nevertheless are offenders. These are the parties who should be caught up and upon whom punishment imposed. There is no more excuse for them to sin against the laws of the country than the American born man or woman.

Don't Believe it.

The sheet that is published daily in the town of Canonsburg, known among it's contemporaries as the Notes, got real riled because the Mail the other day in an editorial, told them that E. F. Acheson, was not in politics any more They took the matter to heart and evidently the editorial writer passed a sleepless night, because of the truthfulness of statements which the Mail published, and the ebullition which resulted was almost terrifying in it's intensity. It is time however that the newspapers of this county get the right impression of things. There is no use in fighting for a man that is no longer a power in politics in this county and the Notes and any other paper that is supporting the person in question should take notice.

Forget it Real Sudden.

Now while they are raising all this fuss over whether or not Ex-Presidents should or should not be pensioned, we may as well state that we don t believe in it. If a President of the United States has been any kind of an official at all, he will have enough of a reputation after he has served his term to get him a good job, that is if he hasn t any money and needs a salary If a man has been elected to the office and has not done it or himself justice, it would sort of go against the grain to pension him and we would not know what it was for. So just for the sake of keeping peace in the family we suggest that who ever has been discussing the problem seriously, proceed to forget it real sudden.

Electric Sparks.

Many a man in this community today bitterly regrets the folly which led him to waste his opportunities when a schoolboy. But th t does not concern or impress the neglectful lad of the present.

There always comes a time in the history of the American people when they tire of the solicitations of the candidate who bobs up at almost every election soliciting something at their hands

An Albany woman says that the modern novel is immoral, when the general impression has been that it is merely verbose pulle.

Fifty all-steel pay-as-you-enter traction cars for Chicago is the latest order booked in Pittsburg. An inter-perity item.

With tariff tinkering out of the way, the wheels would begin to go around in earnest.

The building of the platform for 1912 has no doubt already commenced at Lincoln, Neb.

For 1912—William J. Bryan and Herman Ridder.

Four hundred girls kissed the bridegroom at a recent wedding at Los Angeles, Cal The bride, probably, is now wondering in her newly married way if such popularity is a firm foundation for a divorce proof home.

Zeppelin s air-ship will try what Andree's balloon failed that is to sail to the North pole, and Civilization unites in the hope that the airship will be successful. When it has been discovered that the North Pole is nothing but an icebound snow covered waste perhaps there will be less lives lost in attempting to discover it.

A woman seldom meets her ideal man until she has passed the don't-worry age.

The average woman can change her mind in half the time it takes a man to change his collar.

Later on some of our street contractors may get a chance to repair some of those pavements made of good intentions.

Judge Alton B. Parker has stopped laughing long enough over the way Bryan got soaked in the late election to remark, that the "Democratic party needs new policies," but he doesn't specify whether he means life, accident or fire.

ARE MICROBES IN YOUR SCALP

Many Explanations of Baldness Have Been Advanced. The Most Correct Is That Of Microbes.

The term "microbe" refers to a germ of the plant or fungi also called bacteria. A microbe is so small that it can only be detected by the aid of a microscope. Some microbes are harmless, while others produce various diseases, and derive their titles through the form of their growth or because of the diseases they create, which diseases are infectious or contagious.

Prof. Unna of Hamburg, Germany, and Dr Sabourand, the leading dematologist of France, discovered that a microbe caused baldness, and their theory has time and again been amply verified through research experiments carried on through the observation of eminent scientists This microbe lodges in the Sebum, which is the nature hair oil, and if permitted to do so it will cause the hair to fall in bunches, and in time the pores entirely close and the scalp gradually takes on a shiny appearance. When this happens there is no hope of the hair growth being revived.

Dandruff is a contagious disease which a microbe causes, and later produces itching scalp falling hair and baldness. Dandruff is caused by the microbe diseasing the sebaceous matter, which dries up and scales off. Sometimes the cuticle surrounding the hair allows the natural oil of the hair to force its way between on the flakes of scarf skin direct to the hair, and the microbe being between the flakes force them apart and they scale off as dandruff.

We have a remedy which positively will remove dandruff, exterminate the microbe, promote good circulation in the scalp, tighten and revitalize the hair roots, grow hair and cure baldness. We back up this statement on our own personal guarantee that this remedy, which is called Rexall "93" Hair Tonic, will be supplied free to all who call to the store it is said to do as we promise. It will also restore gray and faded hair to its original rich, glossy color, if loss of color has been caused by disease, yet it is in no sense a dye. Rexall "93" Hair Tonic accomplishes these results by making every hair root, follicle and pigment gland strong and active, and by stimulating a natural flow of coloring pigment into the hair cells.

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We want to tell you all about this big sale we are now running, so that you will know as much about it as we ourselves.

Back about three months ago the largest combination yet formed in the piano industry was concluded

It was a combination involving twelve million dollars. Heading the consolidation was the renowned old firm of Wm. Knabe & Co, of Baltimore, and the equally distinguished house of Chickering & Sons of Boston. Following immediately after these famous old houses were the gigantic Foster-Armstrong interests, of Rochester. This concern owned and operated seven big piano factories

Up to the time of the big consolidation Foster-Armstrong were the largest manufacturers of pianos in the world They were known and will still be known (as a nickname generally always clings to one) as the Big Four.

They manufactured twenty-five thousand pianos a year. Think of it--twenty-five thousand pianos a year.

These are mostly medium grades pianof, say, to sell at from $250 and $275 up to $450 and $500.

Then they combined—as told above. Consolidated with the Chickering, which has been made since 1823; and the Knabe, which has been made since 1837—both of which for nearly three generations have been world favorites with exacting musicians; so it is easy to see what the new combination is and what it means The leader can as easily see this as we can.

It does not even take a piano man to see that it means economy—efficiency.

Now here is where we come in. Here is the part that is to the greatest interest and advantage of the piano buyer—and the part that shows how piano buyers can participate in this deal.

Now, after this new combination got settled down to business the first decision as a matter of general policy was to discontinue a great number of styles. In other words, several styles of each and every make.

This meant that several hundreds of pianos must be sold at once—probably Thousands would more nearly fit than Hundreds.

Big dealers were asked to come to New York and were advised of the plans—and as we are classed as Big Dealers---we were invited.

Right here, as a sort of little sidelight, it might be well to tell—and might be read with interest, too, that long before such a consolidation as the American Piano Co., was ever dreamed of, we were generally regarded as the largest retailers in the country of the Very Lines That now Go to Make Up the Big Combination. Buying Chickerings Grands fifty at a time was not a new thing to us.

Selling a few Hundred each of Chickerings, Knabes, Haines Bros, etc, a year was an old story to us. But when we were shown what was now intended, that new-up-to date styles could be bought so that we could sell them at, just say $100 less than we had previously had to ask for the same instruments and still make a little money for ourselves. We Saw Our Opportunity

WE BOUGHT---AND BOUGHT.

We distributed and are still distributing our purchases among several stores.

Brand new KNABE PIANOS in up to date but discontinued case styles are now offered at $450 and $460 instead of their former prices. $550 and $600.

Brand new CHICKERINGS, the same identically as has always sold at $500 and $550 are now offered while they last at $410 and $440

Brand new HAINES BROS, the aristocrat of medium grade pianos, in styles that never brought less than $425 and $450, will during this sale sell at only $315, while the same piano in plain case styles will bring only $290. Just think of it--prices away lower than those asked for pianos the names of which you never even heard of before, while here is a piano which has been conspicuous before musical persons the world over for nearly sixty years.

Then comes the medium gradss

Marshall & Wendell's $325 and $350 pianos are now selling at $240 and $260. New Foster & Co's in $325 and $350 styles selling at $225 and $250, and the celebrated Brewster, the most widely known piano in the world at its price and which has never been priced at less than $250 to $275, and is sold more generally at $300 straight through the country from coast to coast—is now selling, while this sale continues, at only $175 to $190

Nor is this all

The purchaser will be accommodated with his own terms—$5.00, $6.00, $8 00, $10.00, $15.00 a month whatever he can conveniently pay.

The prices are marked on an absolute NET SPOT CASH BASIS.

Time buyers will be charged 6 per cent. on your paid balances over and above these prices, which is fair to the buyer and fair to us.

The faster the buyer pays the less his interest.

In all our piano experiences we have never before had an opportunity to offer piano buyers like this. Buying big quantities—finding a manufacturer here and there who is hard up for cash, occasionally gives an opportunity that we can pass along to the substantial benefit of the buyer. But piano buyers have never before had an opportunity to buy pianos like Knabes, Chickerings, Haines Bros., etc., at these prices. But don't keep putting off and putting off until the best styles are gone and then come and say "just as I thought." These pianos will, in the very nature of things, go quickly, even if there is a lot of them.

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Ladies' red, tan and black fall shoes	2.98,	worth 3.30
Ladies' red, tan and black fall shoes	2.48,	worth 3.00
Ladies' red, tan and black fall shoes	1.98,	worth 2.50
Ladies' red, tan and black fall shoes	1.48,	worth 2.00

Ask to See our Ladies' $1.98 Fall Shoes

Boys' and Girls' Heavy Fall Shoes in Tan and Black

Boys' and girls heavy tan shoes	$2.45
Boys' and girls heavy tan shoes	1.98
Boys' and girls heavy tan shoes	1.48
Boys' and girls heavy black shoes	2.45
Boys' and girls heavy black shoes	1.98
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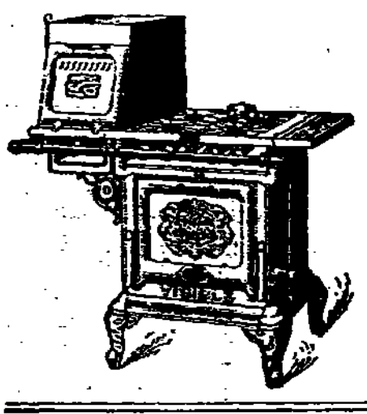

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The Whale.

A whale's greatest speed is from ten to twelve miles an hour.

Goldfish.

When the goldfish is first hatched it has no pretty color markings. It is apparently like an ordinary minnow both in color and shape. It is not until the fish is nearly a year old that even faint tracings of its beautiful hues may be distinguished.

Morocco.

To the present day Morocco not only has no railways, but no roads of any kind except near Tangier.

Foundling Hospitals.

Foundling hospitals are very ancient. It is certain that one was established at Milan in the year 787, and in the middle ages most of the principal cities of the continent possessed one.

Earrings.

Among the Phoenicians in ancient days the wearing of earrings was a badge of servitude.

Plaster of Paris.

The setting of plaster of paris may be retarded by the addition of 2 to 4 per cent of powdered althea root. This addition not only retards the hardening of the plaster, but also enables it to be cut, filed, sawed and turned. An addition of 8 per cent retards the complete setting of the plaster for about an hour, so that the mass may be used for any purpose where it is to remain plastic during at least a portion of that time.

Russia's Famines.

Russia suffers from famine on an average every ten or twelve years.

Simple Fire Alarm.

A simple but effective fire alarm may be made by connecting two pieces of spring brass with a circuit and keeping the ends separated with a piece of beeswax, which melts and allows them to come together when the temperature begins to get too high.

The Capital.

The capital of the United States was changed nine times during the Revolutionary war.

Cochineal Insects.

How long cochineal insects live has not been discovered. Some investigators state that the period of existence is measured by hours, while others claim that the minute creatures live for several days. All agree, however, that their life is very short.

Perspiration.

Men have been known to lose by perspiration 5,000 to 6,000 grains an hour.

Fish.

Fish contain three times as much phosphorus in their composition as quadrupeds, and phosphorus is an essential constituent of the human brain and requires renewal in proportion to the amount of work that organ is required to perform.

The Piano.

The tone of a piano is best when the instrument is not next to a wall.

Lincoln's Springfield Home.

The Springfield home of Abraham Lincoln was presented to the state of Illinois in 1882 by Robert Todd Lincoln. It was the only piece of real estate ever owned by the great emancipator. The property is now open to visitors.

The French Language.

A philologist estimates that of every hundred words in the French language thirteen are superfluous.

Conundrums.

What ship has two mates, but no captain? Courtship.

How did the man die who fell in a barrel of brandy? In good spirits.

What is the difference between stabbing a man and killing a hog? One is assault with intent to kill, the other killing with intent to salt.

Didn't Like That Part.

Jean was a little Canadian girl, and her mother was teaching her the words of "God Save the King." When they came to the words, "Long to reign over us," Jean refused to say them, remarking in pleading tones, "Oh, mamma, I don't want to get all wet!"

The Mina of India.

The bird which is most expert in imitating the speech of man is the mina of India, a bird somewhat resembling a starling. It is purplish black in hue with a white patch on the wings and orange lappets on the head. When domesticated the mina is far superior to the parrot both in picking up the speech of those by whom it is surrounded and in the distinctness with which it speaks the words and sentences learned.

John Paul Jones.

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HINTS FOR FARMERS

Weeds That Sheep Eat.

The Minnesota station gives the analyses of weeds which sheep eat readily and their protein contents compared with alfalfa, clover and timothy hay. It will be a surprise to many to see how high in protein these weeds are, and it suggests the reason sheep flourish on them, worthless as they are otherwise. Here are the analyses: Lambs' quarters, 25.06 protein, 54.64 carbohydrates, 1.96 fat; purslane, 26.13 protein, 53.70 carbohydrates, 2.9 fat; pigweed, 26.54 protein, 62.86 carbohydrates, 1.36 fat; dandelion, 24.64 protein, 58.95 carbohydrates, 2.70 fat; catnip, 22.25 protein, 63.07 carbohydrates, 2.66 fat; goldenrod, 11.63 protein, 76.63 carbohydrates, 4.85 fat; mustard, 15.75 protein, 75.50 carbohydrates, 1.55 fat; quack grass, 11.27 protein, 79.12 carbohydrates, 1.96 fat; alfalfa, 20 protein, 40.64 carbohydrates, 2.46 fat; clover, 13.35 protein, 52.28 carbohydrates, 3.65 fat; timothy hay, 8.75 protein, 41.76 carbohydrates, 2.16 fat.

Soiling Crops.

A mixture of Kaffir corn and cowpeas at the Pennsylvania station produced the largest yield of green substance per acre, was relished by the cows and was entirely satisfactory from the standpoint of milk production. Alfalfa produced the largest yield of air dry substance per acre, and the cows seemed to hold up better in milk production when on alfalfa than on any other crops tested. Oats and peas proved satisfactory as a soiling crop. Rye produced the earliest soiling crop and gave a large yield of dry substance per acre, but under average conditions it ripens too quickly to be most satisfactory. The different forage crops tested seemed to have little, if any, effect upon the composition of the milk.—American Cultivator.

Plans For New Dairy Barns.

For the past two or three years the dairy division of the department of agriculture has been making an investigation of all the principal dairy barns in the United States and a study of the best methods of construction, with reference to convenience, cheapness in feeding and hauling of stock, sanitation, etc. The result is that the division has a large number of plans suitable for building barns and stables of varying costs, so that any one contemplating building a barn can obtain, by simply corresponding with the chief of the division, a set of building plans which will probably just about meet his needs.

Horse Sense.

Turning the work teams out to pasture at night is better than keeping them shut up in a close, poorly ventilated stable.

Every farmer must have horses. Why not have the best, then, and make a nice little profit on the side from the colts?

The time to sell the colt is when a good price is offered. It's good policy to have him ready to attract the good price, though.

Begin to handle the colt when he is very young if you would keep him from getting wild. Be judicious about it, though, at all times.

The Word "Furring."

The origin of the word "furring" of the present day construction comes from olden times, when animal skins or furs were used on walls to keep out the cold and wet.

Personal Mention

Mrs. P. J. Ailes was in Pittsburg Saturday to see Dr. Snook who is to perform an operation on her.

George S. Might has returned from Washington where he spent a week serving on the petit jury.

George Woodhall is transacting buiness in Pittsburg today.

George Barnett spent Sunday in Pittsburg with friends.

George Johnson is in Pittsburg today transacting business.

Charles Steele and Miss Nelle Steele attended the Indian-University of Pittsburg football game at Pittsburg Saturday.

Joseph Mason was in Pittsburg Saturday and witnessed the football game of the Indians and Pittsburg.

Albert Gouzzie left yesterday for Detroit, Mich., where he will spend sometime visiting his sister.

Thomas Arrigo and Borough Engineer Bernard Smallwood are business visitors in Pittsburg today.

Mrs. L. W. Shey left this morning for Pittsburg for a visit with friends.

Dr. C. E. McDermid has arrived in Charleroi from Pittsburg. He is looking over the field with a view of starting practice in this place.

Mrs. F. R. Dickey has returned from a visit with friends in Emlenton.

William Carter is in Pittsburg spending a few days with friends.

Misses Helen and Virginia Shepler of Pittsburg spent Sunday with little Dorothy Whitlatch on Fallowfield avenue.

Mr. Fred Hill was a Pittsburg visitor Saturday.

Mrs. L. Gregg of Pittsburg visited Mrs. C. M. Hill of Meadow avenue last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Andres have left for Lonaconing, Md., being called by the severe illness of the former's uncle.

C. E. Lantz and Evan Kelly left this morning for Greene county for a few day's hunt.

Negro is Found Dead in Room

William Reed, a well known negro of North Belle Vernon was found dead in bed Saturday night by his roommate. *The cause of the man's death* is not assigned, but it is hardly thought he committeed self destruction.

Has Let Contract.

To offer additional safety to its miners and to prevent, as much as possible, just such catastrophes as the recent one in Germany, the Pittsburg-Buffalo Coal company has let the contract to H. M. Miller, of West Newton, for the sinking of an airshaft at the famous Marianna mine.

The shaft will be additional to the two regular ones now in use. It will be used exclusively for ventilating purposes and will be 500 feet deep, lined with brick, thus making it an unusual affair. Work on the new shaft will be begun in about 10 days.

Foreigners Arrested.

A fight between foreigners, following a drinking bout on Fallowfield avenue between Sixth and Seventh street last night attracted some attention. An arrest made by the police who were called.

At 12:01 this morning the law lifted its protetirg arm from deer and from now on to the first day of next month the coveted deer will have to shift for themselves. The season opens on the 15th of November, but that day happened to be Sunday this year and State Game Commissioner Kalbfus issued a warning that the deer season would not open until today.

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LOST—Large belt buckle with green setz., on Saturday evening. Liberal reward if returned to 373 Mail office. 82t1

ANNOUNCES FOR BURGESS

Capt. J. K. Hein of the third precinct, makes formal announcement that he will be a a candidate for the nomination for burgess on the Republican ticket at the primaries preceeding the spring municipal election. He makes this announcement at this time in order to let his many friends know what his intentions are, and in view of the many rumors which are as yet unconfirmed of others contesting for the nomination.

No citizen has a better record for unselfish public work than Capt. Hein. He has three times been elected a member of the borough council, and has served two terms as president of that body. At present he is serving his third term, and has devoted more time, perhaps, than

other citizens in Charleroi, to the business affairs of the borough. He has long been a member of the most important committees and is so conversant with the affairs of the borough that he would make a good and capable executive.

As a Republican Capt. Hein has always been an active worker and a leader in his precinct. He has the faculty of harmonizing actions and healing breaches, and has ever been loyal to his organization, but at the same time retaining the friendship and esteem of his political opponents. In addition he is a good citizen, and worthy of every honor the electors may bestow upon him.

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Ralph L. Todd, Charleroi, and Miss Helen Young, Roscoe, were issued a marriage license at Pittsburg Saturday.

THE GRAMPUS GOURMET.

This Marine Monster's Prey Is the Bowhead Whale.

"Of all the gourmets on land or water," said the captain, "commend me to the grampus."

The ladies at the captain's table looked with inquiring smiles at the handsome sailor.

"The grampus," he went on, "is a kind of overgrown shark or a kind of undersized fighting whale. You can take your choice. At any rate, he is a terrible creature to meet with if you happen to be aquatic.

"He and his mate travel together. Sometimes they have a friend along—big, fine, strong chap, as such friends usually are. And their game is the bowhead whale.

"When they find a whale they go at him. They stick to him invincibly. They punch and thump till he is as limp as a rope of seaweed with exhaustion. Then, by means of one horrible deed, they show their unexampled gluttony.

"They take hold of the whale's lower lip; they hang their weight on it until it drops open. Then in go their heads, disappearing inside that great red mouth, that warm, moist cavern of scarlet, and they eat in there—the whale's tongue, a tender tidbit, very rich and delicate.

"The tongue consumed, they go on their way again, leaving the whale to die slowly."—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

Dangerous.

Giles—How's your son gettin' on up in London? Garge—Very well. He tells me he's got a job partly behind the counter and partly out o' doors. Giles—And what appens when the door slams?—London Telegraph.

Makes Cowards of Us All.

There is nothing from which even the bravest man shrinks so pitifully as the lancet of the surgeon, even when it is wielded by the most skillful of his craft.—London Sketch

Reward and Inspiration.

"Write me verses," Laura cried.
"You, they say, so brilliant are
As to dazzle, if you tried,
Every bright poetic star."

"My reward—what shall it be?"
I of her did thus demand.
"On my brow shall all men see
Laurels placed by Laura's hand?"

"Laurels nothing!" Then she said,
"Sorrel's all the wreath you'll get."
"Looking love of yours," I said.
"That's Poet Laura yet."
—Brooklyn Life.

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